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FOR : CONTROLLING AIR FLOW IN AN ENGINE MANIFOLD  
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ART UNIT : 3747  
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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated September 23, 2004 requiring restriction as between claims grouped as I and II and grouped as claims 3-16.

Responsive to the requirement for restriction, Applicant provisionally elects with traverse to prosecute claims 3-16.

Respectfully submitted,

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